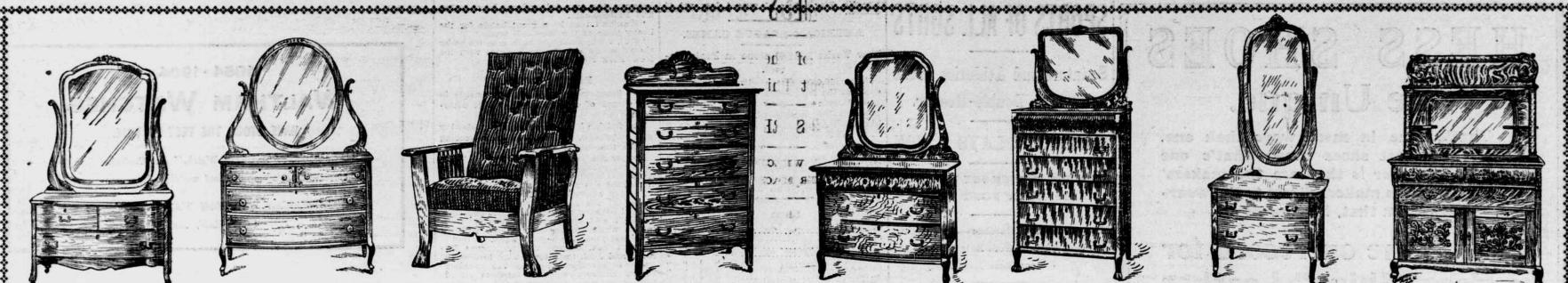
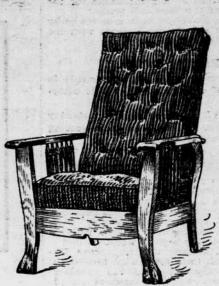


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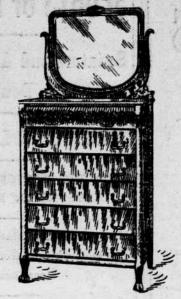
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Rich Carpetings in all the dif-

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We are now ready to invite you to see the finest collection of Furniture, Carpets and Draperies that has ever been gathered together at the great Inter-Ocean Building or in any other establishment in Washington. It is a stock that the whole country has contributed towards making attractive and nothing is lacking to make it complete. We can assert positively that such a wealth of beautiful homefurnishings has never been placed before the good people of this city before, and whether you need anything or not it will do your heart good to feast your eyes on so many exquisite things. So come in any time and bring your friends.

Band Concert Wednesday Evening, 7:30 to 10:30.

A concert by Haley's full uniformed band will be rendered Wednesday evening from 7:30 to 10:30, to which all are cordially invited. Nothing will be sold that evening, but all our nine floors will be lighted up so that you may examine everything at your leisure.

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We intend to make our Opening Week the banner week in our career. In order to boost our sales and attract everybody in town who wants furniture we are going to make such very special prices that no one will willingly miss the opportunity to buy. The few articles we mention in this advertisement will show you what to expect in the way of price cutting-and there will be thousands of just such bargains. Do you want credit? You can have it and arrange your own terms. We gladly let you have anything you want from this big stock and you can pay for it at your convenience.

Lansburgh Furniture Co., Inter-Ocean Building, 512 9th St.



Exquisite Inlaid Mahogany Music Cabinet, with French legs; very Opening \$18.25



Very pretty Inlaid Mahogany Writing Desk; a fine piece of workprice, \$20.00. Open- \$14.75



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Large Turkish Rocker; very fine This very handsome 6-foot Pedes. upholstered in high-grade tal Table; quartered oak; carved leather; regular price, \$60.00. Opening price. \$37.50 price, \$28.00. Opening price. \$19.50



Beautiful Inlaid Mahogany Rocker; perfectly made and lar price, \$12.00. Open-\$7.50



This pretty Polished Quartered Oak Parlor Table, with French legs; regular price, \$12.00. Opening \$8.50



magnificent Quartered Oak Closet; leaded, cut glass

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Rugs in all sizes from small

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Polished Oak Writing Desk, with French legs; fully pig-eonholed. Regular price \$7.50

WISCONSIN'S TROUBLE

The Effect of the Supreme send a large number of republicans who were partially weaned away from La Folletteism back into the half-breed camp. Ex-Gov. Scofield's vigorous personality will Court's Decision.

STALWARTS' POSITION

NOW WHERE THEY WANTED TO PUT LA FOLLETTE'S ADHERENTS.

Governor Will Proably Be Elected by Larger Majority-Cook's Withdrawal From Ticket.

Special Correspondence of The Evening Star.

MILWAUKEE, October 6, 1904. The supreme court decision of Wednesday practically declaring that the ticket headed by Governor La Follette, as certified by the state central committee appointed in 1902, is entitled to designation by the secretary of state on the official ballot as the regular republican ticket, was like a thunderbolt in the stalwart camp and a signal of victory in the camp of the La of two terms, and the campaign is thereatmosphere somewhat, it will probably have no material effect on the result in November, as from the one-sided manner in which the campaign has been progressing it has been evident for some time that Governor La Follette will be re-elected, despite the breach in his party. But the governor will probably now have a larger

The decision has placed the stalwarts where they have been trying to put the governor's adherents. The governor and his supporters have repeatedly declared that the decision of the court would have no effect so far as their campaign is con-cerned; that the fight would go on until the people were given another opportunity to render a verdict at the polls. To this the stalwarts have been replying that if the supreme court should decide that the stalwart ticket, headed by S. A. Cook is the regular ticket, the so-called half-breeds would have to vote for it, or by voting otherwise take themselves out of the party. Now that the court has rendered a decision directly to the contrary, the stal-warts are saying that the decision will have no effect whatever; that the fight will go on, with their ticket on the official ballot under some designation other than

Cook's Retirement. S. A. Cook, the stalwart candidate, having repeatedly said that he would retire in the event of a decision making the La Follette ticket regular, became a center of interest immediately upon the announcement of the decision. Today he appeared before the stalwart state central committee and formally withdrew from the race, leaving Gov. La Follette temporarily without an opponent. But the stalwarts promptly secured the consent of ex-Gov. Edward Scofield, and placed his name at the head of their tights. the head of their ticket. The fight will therefore go on right merrily. Gov. Scofield is a political fighter of great determination. He is a bitter opponent of La Follette, who six years ago waged so vi-cious a campaign against him during his run for a second term that the Scofield vote

campaign to go by default. Gov. La Fol-lette has been vigorously stumping the state in his own interest, while the stal-warts have been sitting on the benches

looking toward Madison.

Mr. Cook's retirement will undoubtedly hold the real stalwarts in line, and thus in-directly assist ex-Gov. George W. Peck, the denocratic candidate. Many stalwarts will undoubtedly vote for Peck. But Gov. Peck is not sufficiently radical on the railway and primary election issues for thousands of voters of his own party, and this dissatisfied element, which is strong enough to be spoken of as the La Follette democ-racy, will cast its ballots for Gov. La Fol-lette.

Undoing of the Stalwarts.

Insincerity on the railroad and primary election issues has been the undoing of the stalwarts, and lukewarmness on the same issues on the part of Gov. Peck is the reason why he lacks the enthusiastic support of certain democrats. The stalwarts adopted what were practically La Follette platforms for the campaigns or 1900 and 1902, and then balked on the adoption of railroad and election reforms in the legislature. Had the stalwarts made a consistent at-tempt to carry out their platform promises in these instances, they would probably have been able to defeat the governor this because of the general prejudice against third terms. In view of this prejudice, and the anti-third term play that has been a part of the campaign against Gov. La Follette, the outcome of the shuffle of the political cards is decidedly amusing. All the candidates have gubernatorial records

The developments of the coming four weeks will be interesting, but it is hardly probable that they will change the outlook to any great extent. Unprejudiced judges are now satisfied that the ticket headed by the state will give its electoral vote to Roosevelt and Fairbanks. There is some talk of further legal proceedings to compel the secretary of state to put the names of the republican electors on both tickets, but it is probably mere vaporing.

MONITOR NEVADA AT ANNAPOLIS Local Foot Ball-Worthington to Su-

pervise Construction of Station. ecial Correspondence of The Evening Star.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., October 7, 1904. The monitor Nevada, Commander Thomas B. Howard, commanding, arrived here last night. She has been ordered to the Naval Academy for the more thorough instruction of midshipmen in modern naval ordnance, and will be used at the Naval Academy for this purpose.

Lieutenant Commander Henry C. Gearing. United States navy, who recently returned from a cruise on the Baltimore, left yesterday for Washington to take his examination for promotion as commander. Commander Walter F. Worthington is

here to supervise the erection of a govern-mental experimental station at old Fort Madison, opposite the Naval Academy. Mr. Ernest Flagg of New York, the architect, has submitted the plans for the building, which is to be used for making the tests and experiments of machinery and other devices for use in the navy.

Junior Lieut. Edward B. Fenner, attached to the Naval Academy, has been ordered to

take the examination for promotion to lieu-The local season on the checkerboard field began this afternoon with a game between St. John's and the team of marine officers lately organized. The weather was much better for foot ball than could have been expected at this season of the year, it being cool and bracing. The cheroster

BRYAN'S ADMISSION

PROGRESS OF POLITICS IN NE-BRASKA.

State Conceded to Republicans by Former Presidential Candidate-Many Issues Defined.

Special Correspondence of The Evening Star. OMAHA, Neb., October 5, 1904. There is no question for whom the electoral vote of Nebraska will be cast this year. In a speech at South Omaha this week Col. Bryan declared that there was no need for him "to discuss the relative merits of the presidential candidates, as Mr. Roosevelt's victory in Nebraska is certain." He went on to say that the only reason he felt justified in discussing national issues at all before a Nebraska audience was that the places of six representatives and one senator were at stake. At no time since the nomination of Presi-

dent Roosevelt was assured has the opposition (democrats and populists) had the slightest idea that the electoral votes of Nebraska could be taken away from him. So little confidence did they place in their abilities to make headway against the wave of Roosevelt popularity that they did not think it even worth while to fuse on a single electoral ticket, as they had done in 1896 and in 1900. On the contrary, when two fu-sion conventions met simultaneously at the state capital in August, the one as a demolist convention, no suggestion was made that they try to get together on an electoral ticket, except from Mr. Tibbles, populist nominee for the vice presidency, who wanted to force the democrats to accept the populist candidates for electors as the consideration sine qua non for "co-operation" on state and legislative candidates. populists at that convention were thoroughly aroused against what they con-sidered Mr. Bryan's betrayal of their cause, and a large proportion of the delegates were opposed to any continuance of fusion They were finally cajoled and persuaded into leaving three minor places out of eight on their state ticket for the demoor eight on their state ticket for the demo-crats to fill, if they saw fit to indorse the candidates nominated by the populists for the other places, and under the piteous ap-peals of Mr. Bryan the democrats yielded

Apathetic Campaign.

This split between the former allied fusion parties, in addition to the decided dissatisaction with Gov. John H. Mickey, renominated by the republicans, accounts for the present situation in Nebraska, namely, a campaign in which the active forces in each party are decidedly apathetic. The electoral vote being conceded to President Roosevelt, and the momentum which his popularity is sure to give to the other candidates on the ticket being recognized, the fight has been centered solely upon the governorship and the control of the legis-

The fusion candidate for governor is Geo.
W. Berge of Lincoln, a populist, a lawyer, and, like his opponent, a stanch Methodist. As the fusion nominee for Congress four years ago against Representative Burkett has wear heaten by a majority upward. kett, he was beaten by a majority upward of 2,000. He was nominated once for a judicial office on the prohibition ticket, and has been explaining ever since that his friends took advantage of him while he was out of town and used his name without his authority, and that on his return kt

bribery, copying after Folk in Missouri. In fact, it is announced that both La Follette and Folk will make speeches in Nebraska in behalf of Berge in exchange for support extended to them in the way of campaign work in their respective states

The railroads and corporations are not entirely satisfied with Governor Mickey, although he is accused of being a railroad candidate, but they fear also to play with his opponent, who is appealing for support to the rabid anti-corporation sentiment. The working men and the business men are alike skittish of both candidates, and the chances are that the socialists' third ticket will poll a larger vote among the trades unionists than ever before. The voters who pride themselves on regularity in all parties know how they are going to vote, but a large number of independents of all political shades have not yet deter mined in their own minds what it is best for them to do.

The campaign on both sides has been spasmodic and half-hearted, without drawng any large crowds or inspiring visible Secretary Shaw, Cannon and Senator Foraker have been the big guns on the republican side. The only big domacrat so far in the field is Bryan himself. Under these conditions the best informed politicians are in more or less doubt. "Were it not for being presidential year," said a prominent and well informed republican, "Governor Mickey would surely be defeated. I think, however, that Roosevelt will carry the state with such an overwhelming majority that he will carry the whole state ticket along with him, gov-ernor included."

DISTRICT FIRE BOAT.

Commissioner Macfarland and Bidders Hold Conference.

Commissioner Macfarland today confered with the representatives of the Harlan & Hollingsworth Company and the Pusey & Jones Company, both of Wilmington, Del., relative to the bids of the two companies for constructing the new fire boat for the District. The bids for building the fire boat were opened at the District building several days ago, when it was found that the Harlan & Hollingsworth Company nies. The company mentioned proposed to build the fire boat for \$49,739, and the Pusey & Jones Company bid \$49,797. The next lowest bidder, the Burlee Dry Dock Company of Staten Island, N. Y., bid Dock Company of Staten Island, N. Y., bid \$58,607 for the work, and the other proposals ranged from \$61,000 to \$67,500.

Between the bids of the two Wilmington companies there was a difference of only \$58, but the difference between the lowest bidder and the Burlee Dry Dock Company was nearly \$9,000. On account of this large disparity in the amounts of the bids, Commissioner Macfarland dispared it advisable and the state of the bids.

disparity in the amounts of the bids, Commissioner Macfarland deemed it advisable to confer with the lowest bidders, in order that there might be no possibility of a misunderstanding with regard to the work if the contract should be awarded to them.

The results of the conferences were not made public today. Monday morning Commissioner Macfarland expects to confer with Mr. Charles H. Crane of the firm of Tamslemoine & Crane of New York, architects for the fire boat, relative to matters connected with the construction of the vessel.

Wills Filed for Probate.

By the terms of the will of Gertrude Ruppert, dated April 14, 1897, and filed today for probate, it is directed that one-half of the interest on \$4,000 be paid to her granddaughter, Gertrude Ruppert, until the latter attains the age of twenty-one years. ter attains the age of twenty-one years. The interest on the other half is to be added to the principal. In the event of the death of the granddaughter named prior to her twenty-first birthday, or at that time should she live, it is provided that the estate shall be divided, excluding certain specific bequests, among the five children of Mrs. Ruppert. Matthew Frank, son of the testratrix, is named executor and trustee.

(Continued from Ninth Page.) urday afternoons will direct itself toward the Newton A. A. field instead, seeking the solution. The game will be the eighteenth Williams and Dartmouth have played and

their fourth in the garden city. FOR EVENING STAR CUP.

Match Between the Washington and Chevy Chase Golf Clubs.

The first of the series of golf matches between local clubs for The Evening Star cup was begun on the Chevy Chase links this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The match this afternoon is between the players of the Chevy Chase and the Washington Golf Clubs. The contest between the clubs this fall will probably be most spirited, as the Columbia Golf Club has an excellent chance of winning the handsome trophy permanently. The conditions surrounding the match for this particular cup provide that the club winning it three times shall be declared to have won it permanently Columbia has won the cup twice. Chevy Chase has won it once and won the first stage of the yearly match in the spring from Columbia. If Chevy Chase can win the fall series it will have an excellent chance for winning the cup finally.

The weather today was good for golf. The wind might have been a little lighter, but on the Chevy Chase links, no matter which way the wind blows, the player gets it from all sides before the game finishes so that it is as fair for one as for the other The cool, bracing air made the play a most comfortable exercise, and none of those who followed the players around the links had reason to feel the coolness of the atseason's matches there were numbers of golf experts on the ground to watch the work of the players, giving them encouragement as their fancy prompted. The Chevy Chase team shows up as strong as it has. One or two of the players do not seem to have settled down into their regu-lar game, but it is believed that a little match play will wear off the rough edges and bring them to their usual stroke. The Washington team promises to do things this ton golfers are a much stronger aggrega

ise of good play. The two teams playing today include: Chevy Chase—A. Horstmann, W. M. Gray Walter Peter, Morven Thompson, Walter Tuckerman, G. C. Lafferty, W. P. Comp-ton and Samuel Dalzell. ton and Samuel Dalzell.

Washington Golf Club—R. E. L. Yellott,
Alpheus Winter, Paul H. Tamplett, Cap.
Morrow, Al Leet. Frederick Perley, L. L.
Nicholson, jr., and J. Holdsworth Gordon.
The next game of the series will be played next Saturday between the Columbia and Washington clubs on the Washington links

that they will have something to say in the cup play. Their team showed up well in the drive off this afternoon and gave prom-

INTERCOLLEGIATE TENNIS.

Le Roy Defeated Dewhurst in Finals for Championship.

The final round in the intercollegiate lawn tennis championship, played at Haverford, Pa., yesterday, proved not only a test of skill, but one of endurance, and once again was the old adage that youth will tell borne out. The contestants were Rob-Follette, who six years ago waged so vicious a campaign against him during his run for a second term that the Scofield over the structure was knifed to the extent of about 20,000. Had a fighter of the Scofield type been normanded by the stalwarts at the outset he situation would undoubtedly be more promising for them at the present time. The ex-governor would have been aggressive pending the ex-governor would have been aggressive pending the decision of the superal management of the state and the present time. The ex-governor would have been aggressive pending the decision of the superal management of the state shall be divided, excluding certain specific bequests, among the five children of the structure of the state shall be divided, excluding certain specific bequests, among the five children of the state shall be divided, excluding certain specific bequests, among the five children of the state shall be divided, excluding certain specific bequests, among the five children of the state shall be divided, excluding certain specific bequests, among the five children of the state shall be divided, excluding certain specific bequests, among the five children of the state shall be divided, excluding certain specific bequests, among the five children of the state shall be divided, excluding certain specific bequests, among the five children of the state shall be divided, excluding certain specific bequests, among the five children of the state shall be divided, excluding certain specific bequests, among the five children of the state shall be divided, excluding certain specific bequests, among the five children of the state shall be divided, excluding certain specific bequests, among the five children of the state shall be divided, excluding certain specific bequests, among the five children of the state shall be divided excluding certain specific bequests, among the scrub. The structure of the state shall be divided excluding certain specific bequests, among the scrub. The structure of the state shall be divided e

one and then the other by brilliant play took the lead. Both players exhibited mag-nificent form. Leroy excelled in fast drives, while Dewhurst contented himself with placing the ball, at which he is a master. With the games called five all and a set to the credit of each, it was anybody's match. Leroy, however, won the next two games, and the set went to him by the score of

seven games to five.

In the next set Dewhurst braced wonderfully, allowing his opponent but two games, the score at the finish of the fourth round standing two sets all. The spectators were prepared for a ding-dong struggle in the final set, but were disappointed in their hopes. Dewhurst tired so rapidly that the result was never in doubt, Leroy finally winning by six games to love and the match by three sets to two. The complete score

Leroy, Columbia, beat E. B. Dewburst, University of Pennsylvania, 4-6, 6-3, 7-5,

RACES AT MORRIS PARK.

Rapid Water Won Dixiana Stakes With Consummate Ease.

In spite of the cold weather, 12,000 persons saw some excellent racing at Morris Park yesterday, three favorites winning. John A. Drake's Rapid Water, tremendously backed and closing an equal favorite with R. T. Wilson, Jr.'s, Dolly Spanker, at 11 to 10, defeated the latter with consummate ease in the Dixiana stakes, for three-year-olds, at a mile. Dolly Spanker gave fourteen pounds to the Drake colt, which proved to be too great a task. Dolly Spanker made the pace and held the lead until the middle of the stretch was reached, when he tired and Kapid Water, who had been the runner up, came on and won by three lengths in 1.39%. Wotan was three lengths behind Dolly

Spanker.
The finish of the Manhattan handicap, for two-year-olds and upward, Eclipse course, caused no end of excitement. A ton of money made J. W. Colt's Castalian a 3 to 2 favorite, with S. S. Brown's two-year-old Broadcloth a hot second choice. Race King, backed down to 60 to 1, was leading by a small margin at the final sixteenth pole when Crimmins bore in with Broadcloth and clearly pumped Castalian, with Burns up. The latter was crowded into Race King, the The latter was crowded into Race King, the trio rushing toward the judges closely bunched. Broadcloth got the verdict by three parts of a length, with Race King beating Castalian a head. The crowd was sure that Burns would claim a foul against the winner, but he did nothing of the kind. Burns is under regular contract to Capt. Brown, while James McLaughlin, the trainer of Race King, is his father-in-law, with whom the jockey is not on speaking terms. whom the jockey is not on speaking terms. Those who bet on Castalian thought that these were reasons for Burns' fallure to go efore the stewards.

Sidney C. Love, hammered down to 7 to 0, won the first race, at a mile, by a length in 1:401/2. He caught Thistle Heather, 5 to 2, at the last furlong pole, the latter beating Homestead, 10 to 1, by three parts of a

Candida, 4 to 1, took the third race, a handicap for two-year-olds, Eclipse course, in a smashing drive by a head from Water-light, 10 to 1, who was not ridden energetically enough by Burns to suit his backers.

E. R. Thomas' Flyback, 8 to 1, was third, two lengths back, beating Austin Allen in the final strides by three parts of a length.

Sydney Paget's Jerry C. 3 to 1 favorite, Sydney Paget's Jerry C.. 3 to 1 favorite, did not get away any too well, and was beaten off. The time was 1:11.

Fred Calhoun's smart filly, Consuelo II, backed down to tens, proved a big surprise in the fifth event, for two-year-olds, at six furlongs, Withers course, when she won in a gallop by six lengths, defeating S. S. Brown's Druid, 9 to 10 favorite. The latter was a length and a half better than Monacodor, 16 to 5, who beat Hildebrand a head. John E. McDonald's Tarpon made the running for more than half a mile, but was short. The time was 1:13½.

A poor lot of maiden fillies faced the starter in the last race, at seven furlongs, Withers course. Black Socks, 9 to 5 favor-

50 to 1 shot, who closed with a great rush and beat Spes a head. The time was 1:23.

HIGH-CLASS TROTTERS.

Lisonjero Won Johnston Stakes in Straight Heats. The Johnston stakes, inaugurated as far

back as 1887, was the feature of the racing at Lexington yesterday afternoon at the grounds of the Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders' Association. The event fell to Lisonjero, who won the event in straight heats without reducing his Buffalo mark of 2.081/4. In two of the other races the favorites also won, but the talent lost heavily in the 2.11 trot, in which Jim Ferry was regarded as a good thing. He was handily beaten by Patchen Maid, which mare sold last night for 10 in 330 tickets.

The 2.04 pace was a very hot contest between John M. and Nathan Strauss. The latter won the first heat by a head in 2.04½, but the Smathers gelding beat him in the next two heats, both being paced in 2.06. Fully 5,000 persons witnessed the racing, the track being a spring board and the weather delightful. Anderson, driver of Newton S., was thrown from the sulky in the first heat of the 2.11 trot and fourteen horses passed over the reinsman, who had a most marvelous escape from injury.
Without the guiding hand of a driver Newton S. led the big field entirely around the track and reached the wire in front.

Y. M. C. A. Athletes.

An athletic entertainment will be given by the Washington Y. M. C. A. in its gymnasium this evening, beginning at 8 o'clock. There will be an indoor base ball game between the Chinamen and Japs followed by basket hall game between the members

Proceedings to Vacate Lease.

The Commissioners today approved a recommendation of Mr. D. E. Garges, secretary of the District wharf committee, that the corporation counsel be instructed to proceed against E. S. Randall, lessee of wharf property on the river front, for the purpose of vacating the lease which Mr. Randall holds.

An inspection of the wharf property of the District was made early last spring. and about the middle of April, according to the records of the District, Mr. Randall was notified to make certain repairs to the property leased by him from the District.
The repairs not having been made as ordered, under date of September 2 last the
Commissioners notified him that if the work was not begun within fifteen days thereafter and completed within thirty days action would be taken to vacate the

According to a report of Inspector At-kinson, dated October 5, the repairs ordered by the Commissioners had not yet been commenced. Consequently the matter has been placed in the hands of the corporation

John Warrenton, a young white man, charged with an attempt to murder his wife in Petersburg, Va., by cutting her with a razor, was held to the hustings court for trial.

WOULD THAT EVERY